

"WEB" DAVIS OPENS THE CAMPAIGN

For the Wheeling Democrats at the Wheeling Park Casino, Before a Crowd of 1,000.

FAILS TO CARRY CONVICTION

That His Recent Flop From the Republican Party Was a Conscientious Act.

HIS BITTER ATTACK ON HANNA

Would Seem to Indicate That He Bears a Personal Animosity Against the Ohio Man.

A WHEELING SOLDIER REFUTES

Some of the Statements Mr. Davis Made Relative to the Filipinos and Their Capacity.

"Web" Davis has come—will be here until 10 o'clock this morning, as he said in his arraignment of newspapers that had told him some plain truths—has been seen by 1,000 Wheelingites, but it would be farthest from the truth to say that he has conquered anything or anybody. His speech at the Wheeling Park Casino last night was eloquently delivered and held many pretty word pictures, but it was not a discourse that impressed the hearer favorably; rather, the impression was conveyed that these were the words of a disappointed politician, who in his pique and disappointment, had thrown aside the principles of a life time for a mess of pottage.

The speech had very little bearing upon the issues of the present campaign. Very largely it was made up of a plea for the Boer in South Africa, and in this connection the claim was made that there is a secret understanding between the United States and Great Britain. But just what bearing this had upon the campaign the speaker did not say.

Then and Now. When Mr. Davis came to speak of the "great Democratic party," he grew halting in his speech, and this is not surprising, for only a few weeks ago the eloquent speaker was talking the other way. In his time, Mr. Davis has said some real unkind things of the Democratic party, for instance at Cameron, Mo., on September 26, 1898, he said:

"WHILE WE HAVE NOTHING BUT THE HIGHEST RESPECT FOR DEMOCRATIC INDIVIDUALITY, WE HAVE NO CONFIDENCE OR FAITH IN THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY AS A PARTY, FOR IT IS KNOWN AS A PARTY OF DEAD ISSUES AND OF DISGRACED DOCTRINES; AN UNPROGRESSIVE PARTY, A PARTY THAT PITCHES ITS TENTS IN THE SHADY VALES OF NARROWNESS AND SECTIONALISM, WHERE THE DEADLY MISMA OF DISCONTENTMENT AND INCOMPETENCY PREVAILS. NO, NO, THE HOPE OF OUR FUTURE GLORY LIES IN THE REPUBLICAN PARTY, FOR ON ITS BRIGHT BANNER IN THE PAST THE MAJESTIC WORD OF LIBERTY IS EMBLAZONED."

Never Haul Down the Flag. Again at Kansas City, October 8, 1898:

"AS A YOUNG AMERICAN, LOVING THE FREE INSTITUTIONS OF MY COUNTRY, I VOICE THE SENTIMENTS OF EVERY YOUNG AND OLD PATRIOT IN THIS BROAD LAND WHEN I SAY THAT NEVER SHALL THE FLAG COME DOWN FROM THE PLACE WHERE THE BOYS IN BLUE HAVE PLANTED IT. NEVER! NEVER! WE SHALL NOT GIVE UP AN INCH OF FOREIGN LAND WATERED BY THE BLOOD OF AMERICAN SOLDIERS. I AM FOR EXPANSION AS EXEMPLIFIED BY THIS GREAT ADMINISTRATION. IT IS THE DOCTRINE OF AMERICAN FREEMEN, PROGRESS AND ADVANCEMENT."

In his suddenly acquired love for Aguinaldo and the other enemies of his country, Mr. Davis said that nine out of ten of the Filipinos can read and write, and that they are capable of self-government, and added that every returned American soldier would testify to this.

A Soldier Talks.

In this connection, it is interesting to quote the comments of Private Harry J. VanKeuren, of this city, who served in the Philippines during the Spanish war and rebellion that followed. He said last night:

"THOSE STATEMENTS OF MR. DAVIS ARE RIDICULOUS. OUTSIDE OF THE CITY OF MANILA NOT ONE MAN IN TEN OF THE FILIPINOS CAN READ OR WRITE. VERY OFTEN THE ONLY MAN IN A TOWN WHO CAN DO EITHER IS THE MAYOR. THE FILIPINOS ARE ENTIRELY INCAPABLE OF SELF-GOVERNMENT. THEIR IDEA OF LIBERTY IS A CONTINUOUS LOAF AND HAVING A GOOD TIME. THEY HAVE NO IDEA OF GOVERNMENTAL RESPONSIBILITY, AND I CAN TELL MR. DAVIS ANOTHER THING: THE WAR IN THE PHILIPPINES WAS PROLONGED BY THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY. IN A HUT IN A FILIPINO VILLAGE I FOUND TRANSLATIONS OF THESE SPEECHES OF DEMOCRATIC UNITED STATES SENATORS. THEY WERE PRINTED IN THE TAGALO LANGUAGE AND GENERALLY DISTRIBUTED. ANOTHER THING, OUR ARMY CAPTURED SOME REBELS, AND IN THEIR BAGGAGE WERE FOUND LETTERS FROM TWO WELL-KNOWN DEMOCRATIC LEADERS OF THE UNITED STATES, WHOSE NAMES WERE SUPPRESSED. VOTE THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET THIS YEAR, WELL, I SHOULD SAY NOT!" Although Mr. Davis used strong language in denouncing newspaper asper-

sions upon the motives that ruled him in his change of political base, he failed to dispose of any of the assertions made by this and other papers. He did not controvert the statement that only three days before the Democratic convention he said to one of the editors of the Kansas City Journal that he would continue his espousal of the Boers, but was also for McKinley, and was the President's friend. As to what caused his sudden flop three days later, Mr. Davis failed to enlighten his audience. Instead, he said, it was not worth while to go into details. Of course not.

Of the audience of about 1,000 persons who comfortably filled the Casino, about one-third were Republicans who were present in a desire to gratify their curiosity. Needless to state, nothing that Mr. Davis said changed their views politically. They see in Mr. Davis' flop the act of a disappointed politician and self-seeker.

The Meeting in Detail.

Among those on the stage were "Knight of the Purple Pen" John T. McGraw, of Grafton; ex-United States Marshal Charles E. Wells, of Glover's Gap; County Chairman A. H. Weldebusch, who acted as master of ceremonies; Sam Hartman, the Eighth ward "original free silver man"; Charles H. Taney and a number of the other local lights of the Popocracy. The band was brought into frequent requisition, and at 8:30 when R. S. Kinchloe called the meeting to order the Casino was a little over half filled.

Colonel August Rolf, of the park, was introduced as chairman, and said a few pleasant words to the accompaniment of a request to "speak louder." The colonel talked about "battles of the ballot box," "duty as American citizens," and such like, without much point to his remarks. Mr. Davis had "left the Republican party and come over to the Democracy," but the announcement did not induce a single hand-clap. "He has come over to help our leader, W. J. Bryan," brought forth some applause, which was followed by a modest little demonstration when the speaker of the evening, Hon. Webster Davis, of Missouri, was introduced.

Mr. Davis Introduced.

Mr. Davis appreciated this friendly greeting. He had been a Republican, it was true, but this was a free country, thank God, as long as British agents are not running it, a figure of speech that evoked applause. Now the Republican party had left the speaker; he stood where he stood before—the Republican party is now the party of Hanna and John Bull. He was a great man until recently, but now he was "no good," in the estimation of the Republican managers. "You're all right," said a spectator. Mr. Davis said he expected soon to be accused of horse stealing by the Republicans.

Speaking of the Republican press, he said it had been bought up by British gold. "Say what you please, I don't care, Mr. Newspaper Man. Wallow in all the mud; I don't care." The statement that he had been compelled to leave the McKinley administration, he branded as false, also the statement that he had received gold for joining the Democratic party. He was for liberty in spite of all the British gold in the world. The speaker then proceeded to give reasons why he was a Democrat, to the enjoyment of the spectators. He denounced the British attack on the South African Republics.

A "Secret Understanding."

Speaking of the South African war, Mr. Davis told of General Cronje's heroic resistance against overwhelming odds. When Cronje surrendered, the United States flag was hung to the breeze in celebration of the event. The speaker claimed there was an understanding between the British and American governments. Chamberlain asserts it, and it has not been denied. Speaking of the visit of the Boer envoys, the speaker said their purpose was to demonstrate if possible, that there is not a secret understanding between the British and American governments. But there was such a secret understanding. The envoys went to the white house, and the President of the greatest republic in the world took them to the green room and showed them the beautiful scenery, the monument of Washington—and that was all. Then they went to the secretary of state (who is so beloved by the English people) and before they could say a word, he took a paper from his pocket and read to these envoys the "attitude of the United States toward the Republic," and in another room sat Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador. Is it any wonder they were disgusted? Inquired the speaker. The speaker at that time made up his mind that there was something the matter with the administration. At Philadelphia he had talked with nearly three hundred delegates to the Republican national convention regarding endorsement of the Boers, but they had replied, "I'm afraid Mr. Hanna doesn't want anything like that in the platform." There it was that the speaker determined to sever his connection with the Republican party.

Pretty Word Pictures.

Proceeding, Mr. Davis told stories of the Boers' sufferings. "The spirit of '76 in this republic was the same as the spirit in the Transvaal in 1900." A very pretty word picture was drawn of an incident that came to the notice of the speaker. He was against all parties and all newspapers that were in favor of crushing such liberty-loving peoples. "This administration has much blood at its doors to answer for," said Mr. Davis. "The Porto Rican people have been treated shamefully. It was a holy war, but when the war was over, this administration, following the example of the British government, began to waver from its first and pure purpose to a sordid policy."

"The soldier boys," said the speaker, "will tell you that the Filipinos are as capable of self-government as the Cubans." As a matter of fact, returning soldiers are practically unanimous in saying the Filipinos are incapable of self-government. The speaker read extracts from a letter from General King in support of his claim. The British said the Boers were savages; he had found them more civilized than the British. Continuing, the speaker went on to insist that the Filipinos are more capable of governing themselves than the negroes to whom we have

given suffrage, a statement that the Democrats in the audience applauded.

"Compliments" for Hanna.

"We paid twenty millions for the Philippines, and what did we buy? We have been able to hold on to nothing but Manila," said Mr. Davis.

Mark Hanna came in for attention from the speaker. It was plainly evident that Mr. Davis must have suffered an awful snub from Senator Hanna at some point in his checkered political career—bitter personal animosity bristled from every sentence of the speaker, and the effect of his invective was plainly nullified.

"In trying to force slavery on the Philippines, we have committed a crime," said Mr. Davis, theatrically. The Kansas City platform was called the second Declaration of Independence by the speaker, and Bryan was eulogized in most extravagant terms.

The speaker's peroration was dramatically eloquent. "Liberty—liberty—liberty"—was the burden of the song, with William J. Bryan at the apex of the structure, and Aguinaldo holding on to his coat tails for dear life.

BRIEF MENTIONINGS.

Events in and About the City Given in a Nutshell.

The Second English Lutheran church will give their first annual picnic at Brookside, back of Bridgeport, August 23.

Excavations for the handsome new residence to be constructed for Dr. E. L. Armbricht, on South Jacob street, have been completed.

Matthew Jones, a fourteen-year-old boy, had his head painfully cut by being hit with a horse shoe on Twenty-fifth street, Monday evening.

The sale of the Winston property on Delaware street, which was to have occurred yesterday, has been postponed by Auctioneer C. S. Greer until the 21st inst.

The Knights of St. George excursion which was to have been given next Monday, has been indefinitely postponed on account of the low stage of the river.

J. P. Altmeyer & Co. will engage in the grocery business shortly in the store formerly occupied by J. C. Beck, at the corner of Thirty-ninth and Jacob streets.

A meeting of the finance committee and executive board of the Young Men's Improvement Association, of the South Side, is called for Thursday evening at 3941 Jacob street.

Beginning with September 1, the price of milk will be increased from six to eight cents a quart by the Milkmen's Association. This is in pursuance of a custom inaugurated by the association by which milk is sold at six cents during five months of the year and eight cents the remaining eight months.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Going and Coming of Wheeling People and Visitors.

A. Fetty, of Fairmont, is at the McLure.

T. C. Hornbrook, of Parkersburg is at the Stamm.

W. S. Wiley, of New Martinsville, is at the Windsor.

Thomas Bagen, of Harrisville, is at the Grand Central.

Miss Flora Sheridan is visiting relatives in Pittsburgh.

F. P. Blasen, of Parkersburg, is photographed at the Windsor.

Miss Ada Bowman is visiting relatives at Woodsfield, Ohio.

B. C. Bridgeman, of New Martinsville, is at the Park Hotel.

E. D. Webster, of Mannington, is a state arrival at the Stamm.

Mrs. Dennis Williams, of Seventeenth street, is visiting friends in Pittsburgh.

Albert Happy, of Sixteenth street, goes to Pittsburgh to-day on a business visit.

Charles E. Wells, of Glover's Gap, was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Mrs. George Strangle, of Sistersville, was calling on friends in the city yesterday.

J. C. Trees, of New Martinsville, and A. F. Wilmoth, of Elkins, are at the McLure.

Ella and Albert Bowers, children of Mr. Frank Bowers, are visiting at Mt. Lake Park.

Mrs. William Brumelle left for Sherard yesterday, where she will be the guest of relatives.

Harry Stahl, of South Wood street, has returned from an extended visit with Pittsburgh relatives.

The Parkersburg arrivals at the McLure yesterday were L. E. Chlenor, Thomas J. Watts and Frank C. Martin.

Among the state arrivals at the Grand Central yesterday were F. M. Boxley, of Charleston, and S. H. Bowman, of Philippi.

Bernard Bauman, of Woodsfield, who has been the guest of relatives on the South Side for some time past, returned home yesterday.

Eph. Wells, of Sistersville; T. C. Murphy, of Mannington, and M. Keating, of Sistersville, are among the state arrivals at the Windsor.

Among the state arrivals at the Park Hotel yesterday were S. A. Karnes, of Strington; Amos Joliffe, of Uniontown, and E. A. Hieble, of Parkersburg.

The H. F. Behrens Company has received a cablegram, stating that Mr. J. Jochum, son and party, from Wheeling, arrived at Plymouth, England, on the steamship Deutschland, yesterday morning.

Equalization and Appeals.

The city board of equalization and appeals was in session yesterday morning, and received a few applications for reduced assessments from the Fifth ward. Petitions from the Sixth ward will be acted upon to-day.

The county board of equalization and appeals met and received thirty or forty applications for reduction from Ritchie district.

To Let the Contracts.

Promoter B. K. McMechen, of the Fairmont & Suburban Electric Railway Company, which is to put in an electric street car line between Fairmont and Montana, one of the mining suburbs of the former city, announces that the construction contracts will be let next week. Work has been delayed by the scarcity of material.

SPECIAL SALE TAN SHOES.

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THE BOARD OF TRADE PROJECT

Is Meeting With the Unanimous Approval of the Wheeling Business Community.

INCEPTION OF THE PROJECT

Was the Suggestion of Mr. George A. Laughlin—Excellent Progress Made.

Yesterday morning, the Intelligencer told exclusively of the movement inaugurated for the formation of a Wheeling board of trade, whose work will be supplementary to that of the chamber of commerce, and consist principally in bringing to the attention of the country the manifold advantages of Wheeling as a manufacturing centre, offering inducements for the location of new concerns, the bringing of conventions and other gatherings, and similar work for the good of Wheeling.

The Intelligencer's publication yesterday morning was the first intimation the general public had of the inauguration of the movement, and on all sides it was warmly endorsed. Such remarks as, "It's time Wheeling got a move on itself," were heard on all sides, and the feeling is general that the time is ripe for the work outlined for the proposed organization.

The inauguration of this movement arose out of a noon luncheon chat at the Fort Henry Club the other day, when Mr. George A. Laughlin spoke of the great progress made by Canton industrially in the past decade, largely through the operations of a progressive board of trade, which had at its head a first class business man. Through the work of the board of trade at Canton the place increased in population from 12,000 or 15,000 in 1880, to 40,000 or 50,000 in 1900. Manufacturers were attracted and the advantages of the place brought out prominently.

How It Started.

"Why do not Wheeling people inaugurate a similar movement?" inquired Mr. Laughlin. "New industries, conventions, etc., could be brought here if the effort were made."

The argument put forth by Mr. Laughlin impressed his listeners, especially Mr. Stone, who volunteered on the spot to co-operate with Mr. Laughlin and any others who could be enlisted, in a canvass of the business people of the city. So it is to Mr. Laughlin that the credit belongs for inaugurating a movement that means much to Wheeling.

Messrs. Stone and Laughlin, together with Messrs. George M. Snook and Lawrence E. Sands, who were enlisted in the movement, have been at work four days, and have met with nothing but encouragement. On all sides they are told that such an organization should have been formed in Wheeling ten or fifteen years ago. Everywhere the response has been liberal subscriptions, and already one-third of the sum which the projectors had in view has been subscribed, in sums ranging from \$2 a month to \$500 a year. This money is not subscribed as a mere subscription, such as business people are frequently called upon to give, but is considered a most excellent investment that will come back many times over in the very near future.

Many to be Seen.

The canvassers have not yet approached all of the business people, and anticipate no difficulty in securing the amount desired. When this is accomplished a meeting will be called, at which an organization will be formed by the naming of an executive committee of ten, twenty or thirty business men, who will agree to devote a certain amount of their time and ability to the work of the board of trade.

Speaking of the projected board of trade last night, Mr. Will E. Stone said: "I see no reason why Wheeling, with her wonderful advantages as a manufacturing centre should not grow in the next ten years into a city of 200,000 or 300,000 population. This can be done if the people who are being interested in the board of trade will give to it the same attention that they give to their business. Let the world know what we have here, and we are sure to have a phenomenal growth."

The Owl's Outing.

The great outing of the O. W. L. club yesterday at Mozart Park attracted a crowd of about 2,000 people, and the programme of amusements provided by the local club was carried out to the great enjoyment of everybody. The visitors from Ohio cities were especially pleased with their reception and entertainment.

The Pipe Recovered.

The twenty-five feet of pipe stolen Monday night from the site of the new office building of the Natural Gas Company of West Virginia, was recovered yesterday by the police. It was found in Barrett's junk establishment.

SUNNYBROOK Club Mozart Park to-day.

South Dakota and Wyoming. Special excursion tickets will be sold from Chicago via Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway, on August 21, September 4 and 18, to Deadwood, Spearfish, Rapid City and Custer, S. D., and to Casper and Sheridan, Wyo., at one fare plus \$2 for the round trip. Good to return until October 31, 1900. Stop overs allowed west of Omaha. For further information call on or address W. S. Howell, G. E. P. A., 381 Broadway, New York, or John R. Pott, D. P. A., 488 William street, Williamsport, Pa.

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CITY AFFAIRS. Anept "Solon's" plea for a beautified Wheeling, the following tells of work along this line in another city: "Last winter several ladies of the city undertook the organization of such an association. A meeting was called at the court house, and the names of about thirty women, with a number of men as honorary members, were secured. The organization was perfected under the name of 'The Woman's Improvement Club,' and thus the good work was begun. The work accomplished during the four months of the club's existence has been along these lines: 'The streets have been cleaned, the city council visited by the committees and requested to enforce with greater rigor the various sanitary ordinances. The court house has been made more attractive by vases of growing plants which were placed in the square. The ladies themselves solicited the necessary aid, and in conjunction with the fraternity owning the cemetery, secured the services of a permanent sexton. In addition to this, flower beds have been made in the cemetery and in the available spaces around the churches. 'The greatest work of the year was accomplished recently. I refer to the opening of a public waiting-room, which is one of the largest and finest rooms in the city. It is light and airy, well furnished, and provided with all the necessary toilet conveniences. The tables always contain plenty of good reading matter, and this, with the beautiful plants and pictures, makes the place seem quite home-like. 'Ladies who are in the city shopping or on other business may find a pleasant place to rest, rearrange their toilets, eat their lunch or read. Our club women have employed a matron, whose duties are the general oversight of the room and to make comfortable all the guests. The room itself has been leased one year as an experiment. The actual cost of the rent was provided for by a very liberal subscription from the merchants and business men of the city.' Rumored Pitcher Poole is Sold. A rumor was in circulation last night that the Wheeling base ball club had sold Pitcher Eddie Poole to the Pittsburgh National League club, for \$1,000, but it could not be confirmed. BENWOOD. News Notes From the Busy Marshall County Town. The bowling alleys in the basement of the Pabst building are being relaid, they having been warped as a result of the cellar becoming flooded recently. I. N. Hedge insulted a woman in front of Sam Munas' place Monday, and was taken before the mayor, who fined him \$5 and costs. Miss Elizabeth McGee, of Wellsburg, who has been the guest of friends here for the past few days, is attending the teachers' institute at Moundsville. Councilman Jacob Schramm left yesterday for Mannington, where he will pursue the festive game of catching turtles during the next few days. The Blazing Arrow Tribe No. 10, I. O. R. M., met at their hall last evening, and initiated two candidates into the mysteries of the order. W. O. Porterfield, wife and mother will leave for Philadelphia in a few days, where they will be the guests of friends. The Riverside blast furnace resumed last night, after a two days' idleness to enable the furnaces to be cleaned out. Will Schad left for Baltimore last evening, where his sister is receiving treatment for cataracts on her eyes. The Home Fishing Club returned yesterday from a successful two weeks' fishing expedition near Glendale. A gypsy camp, with all the accompanying paraphernalia, is located near the mouth of Bogg's Run. Dr. J. W. McDonald is in Moundsville to-day, attending the meeting of the district pardon board. Jacob Dehold and Mont Bonar were at the Central Fishing Club camp, at Glendale, yesterday. Mrs. Annie Patterson returned yesterday from a brief stay with friends at Empire, Ohio. Frank Bartlebaugh has returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Empire, Ohio. The lower steel works resumes this morning, after being idle a little over a week. Charles Geraghty has returned from the Denmark Fishing Club, at Fish creek. O. O. Gates has returned from a two weeks' stay with relatives at Powhatan. Walter Atha, of Amos, was a business caller in the city yesterday. River Telegrams. OIL CITY—River 2 inches and stationary. Weather, clear and warm. WARREN—River at low water mark. Weather, clear and warm. GREENSBORO—River 6 feet 6 inches and stationary. Weather, fair and warm. MORGANTOWN—River 7 feet and stationary. Weather, cloudy and warm. BROWNSVILLE—River 5 feet and stationary. PITTSBURGH—River 1.7 feet. River falling. Weather, clear and warm. STEUBENVILLE—River 1 foot 2 3/4 inches and stationary. Weather, warm and raining. PARKERSBURG—Ohio river 18 inches and falling. Weather, cloudy and hot. Little Kanawha falling. No boats. Locals on time.

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